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1. There was heavy motor vehicle traffic between the Plauen (M 51/K 12) barracks and the town on 17 April 1950. Most of the vehicles carried either furniture or troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets.

2. A column of three or four tanks and several trucks was seen about 7 p.m. The trucks were heavily loaded, carried troops with red-bordered black epaulets and towed guns of about 150 mm caliber with pneumatic tires.

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3. The column was followed by several other trucks carrying troops and billeting equipment and by an

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ambulance and a tank truck. The following motor vehicles were identified :

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		tank truck
		truck, occupied by troops

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25X1  Comment :

25X1 The report indicates that the Plauen units of the 39th Gds Mtz Rifle Div started leaving their military post on 17 April 1950.

25X1  the 39th Gds Mtz Rifle Div will hold its exercises at the Ohrdruf troop training grounds as it did in 1949.

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